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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: ENRG, BENC, TC
SUBJ: FOREIGN GOVERNMENT TENDER - UPPER ZAKUM DEVELOPMENT

1. EMBASSY OBTAINED ONE COPY OF 185 PAGE, ENGLISH LANGUAGE QUOTE
UPPER ZAKUM DEVELOPMENT, CENTRAL COMPLEX AND SATELLITE PLATFORMS,
CALL FOR TENDER FOR ENGINEERING AND PROCUREMENT SERVICES END QUOTE.

2. TENDER IS SOLICITED BY ZADCO (ACKUM DEVELOPMENT COMPANY).

ZADCO IS JOINT VENTURE OWNED 88 PERCENT BY ADNOC AND 12 PERCENT
BY JAPAN OIL DEVELOPMENT CO. AND CO-MANAGED BY ADNOC AND CFP. THE
COMPANY WAS FORMED RECENTLY TO EXPLOIT THE UPPER ZAKUM RESERVOIR,
OFFSHORE ABU DHABI. THE TENDER OUTLINES A US 3-4 BILLION DOLLAR
PROJECT THAT MAY EVENTUALLY PRODUCE UP TO 1.3 BB/D OF HYDROCARBONS
BY 1987. A CONDENSED VERSION OF THE PARAMETERS USED BY ONE ENGI-
NEERING DESIGN COMPANY IS GIVEN BELOW. THE COMPLETE CALL FOR
TENDER LACKS FULL DETAILS.

3. FACILITIES. FOUR GATHERING AND SEPARATING UNITS (GSU) AND
ONE CENTRAL COMPLEX WITH THREE OF THE GSU'S REMOTE FROM CENTRAL
COMPLEX. LATTER INCLUDES OIL PUMPING, GAS HANDLING, AATER INJECTION,
POWER GENERATION, ACCOMMODATION AND ANCILLARY FACILITIES.

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4. PRODUCTION SCHEDULE, 500,000 BD

YEAR	VOLUME IN 1000 BD	DATE
1980	95	-
1980	140	7/1/78
1981	225	-

1982	330	-
1983	430	1
1984	460	1/1/84

COMPLETION OF OIL PRODUCTION GATHERING AND SEPARATION FACILITIES
IN CENTRAL COMPLEX AND ONE SATELLITE, 1-1-80; SECOND SATELLITE
7-1-80; THIRD SATELLITE 1-1-81.

5. EXPANSION TO 1.3 MBD

YEAR	VOLUME IN 100 B/D
1983	520
1984	775
1985	985
1886	1,195
1-1-87	1,300

6. WATER INJECTION PROFILE

YEAR	VOLUME IN 1000 B/D
1983	890
1984	1,150
1985	
I	1,415
1986	1,675
CURRENT	750
ADDED	1,250

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NORMALLY INJECTED	1,050
TOTAL INSTALLED	2,000

7. THIS STUDY DOES NOT INCLUDE MANHOUR ESTIMATES FOR ENGINEERING,
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, PROCUREMENT, ETC.

8. ACTION REQUESTED. POST IS WILLING TO FORWARD ONE COPY
OT TENDER OFFER TO WASHINGTON AGENCIES. HOWEVER, WE FEEL THAT
OFFER IS SO IMPRECISE THAT IT WOULD ADD LITTLE TO INFORMATION
REPORTED PARAS 1-6.
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